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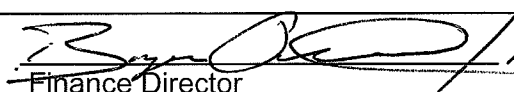
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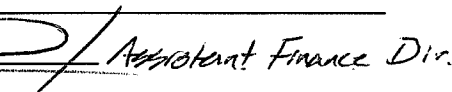
AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF FREDERICK, COLORADO, FOR THE REGULATION OF TRAFFIC BY THE TOWN OF FREDERICK, COLORADO; ADOPTING BY REFERENCE THE 2009 EDITION OF THE "MODEL TRAFFIC CODE" REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT THEREWITH; AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

I. **Agenda Date:** Town Board Meeting - September 8, 2009

II. **Attachments:** a. Ordinance.

III. **Fiscal Note:** None noted.

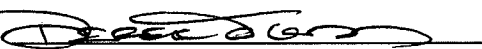

Finance Director


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IV. **Submitted by:**


Prosecuting Attorney

V. **Approved for Presentation:**


Town Administrator

VI. **Certification of Board Approval:**

Town Clerk

Date

VII. **Summary Statement:**

Ordinance adopting the 2009 edition of the Model Traffic Code recently released by the Colorado Dept. of Motor Vehicles.

VIII. **Detail of Issue/Request:**

The Colorado Dept. of Transportation has issued the 2009 edition of the Model Traffic Code. This traffic code is intended to provide uniformity of basic road rules and local traffic regulations. The code standardizes traffic regulation and control on streets through the state. The last edition of the Model Traffic Code, which the town adopted by reference, was issued in 2003.

The proposed ordinance adopts the 2009 edition of the Model Traffic Code by reference. The ordinance also incorporates recent changes in state law (from the 2009 legislative session) that relate to traffic matters. Unfortunately, CDOT did not include any of the language from

the House and Senate bills in the Code, so it is necessary to add the language upon adoption of the Code.

The process requires that the ordinance be introduced and that public hearing be scheduled. Notice of the public hearing must be published at least fifteen and eight days prior to the hearing date. I will be present at the meetings to answer any questions the Board, or the public, may have.

IX. Legal/Political Considerations:

None.

X. Alternatives/Options:

Take no action, or set the ordinance over for public hearing on October 13, 2009, which will allow adequate time to meet the publication requirements for the hearing.

XI. Financial Considerations:

None.

XII. Staff Recommendation:

Recommend adoption of the proposed ordinance.